



Today's issue of TD

Travel Daily today features six pages of news, including our **Business Events News** page, plus a product profile from **Inspiring Vacations**.

Skroo aims at youth

FLIGHT Centre Travel Group MD Graham Turner said the tourism industry faces uncertain times ahead with fewer people under the age of 30 travelling.

Speaking on *Sky News*, Turner said people without mortgages and retirees were continuing to travel, however cost-of-living and housing pressures were posing a problem for younger generations.

MEANWHILE, the company has issued \$450 million in new unsecured convertible notes, which will mature in 2032.

Jetstar lifts Qantas Group

QANTAS Group's budget carrier Jetstar has been singled out as having a "standout year" by Qantas CEO Vanessa Hudson.

The LCC achieved record FY results, driven largely by strong demand, capacity growth from new aircraft, transformation, operational improvements, and lower fuel costs, Hudson said.

Jetstar's underlying EBITDA was the biggest mover, increasing by 55% on last year to \$769 million, while revenue also enjoyed a healthy 16% boost to \$5.71b.

For the 12 months to 30 Jun, Jetstar saw its capacity improve by 17% as well, driven primarily by a significant 23% growth in international seats.

Overall, Qantas Group delivered an impressive \$1.6 billion statutory profit after tax for the latest financial year, improving significantly on the \$1.25 billion recorded in the previous year (**TD** breaking news).

Revenue climbed from \$21.93 billion to \$23.82 billion year-on-year, while its loyalty division continued to be a strong



performer, piling on 11% in revenue growth to \$2.86 billion.

The number of Frequent Flyer members also grew from 16.4 million to 17.6 million.

Qantas used the reporting platform to announce that an extra 20 Airbus A321XLR aircraft have been ordered, which will include the debut of lie-flat business-class seats on its narrowbody aircraft.

The perennially delayed Project Sunrise has also been postponed again, with a previously stated early 2027 launch target now slated for Q4 of the same year.

The financial performance of Qantas was so strong that it announced a new employee share plan, which will see eligible non-executive employees receive \$1,000 in the carrier's shares on an annual basis, subject to the company's financial performance.

A slew of future plans were detailed in the reporting as well, including further lounge development at SYD, AKL, and LAX, a greater investment in baggage solutions, enhancement of its first-class dining experiences, confirmed cabin refreshes for its A330s - first aircraft into service from Feb next year and then Jetstar B787s from 26 Apr - as well as a new Qantas website with AI assistant.

For the next seven days, members who book any Qantas flight can earn either double status credits or Qantas pts. **AB**

Spotlight on Spain

INSPIRING Vacations is spotlighting its 20-day adventure through Spain, Morocco and Portugal, which includes flights and stays in four- and five-star hotels - learn more on **p7**.

Ban the bad cabbies

THE NSW Taxi Council wants to implement a green list system at Sydney Airport that will provide a framework to ban drivers who overcharge passengers.

Prohibiting offending taxi drivers from fleeing arrivals was just one of a four-point plan presented by the council, which is also calling for increased fines, more rigorous standardising of meters, and transitioning to a centralised driver identity system.

The calls come as the taxi industry works with Sydney Airport on a concierge program at all of its terminals (**TD** 30 Jun).

"We want to take the data we are receiving from the concierge program & implement additional measures to ensure we give pax confidence," NSW Taxi Council CEO Nick Abraham said.

EMERALD
CRUISES & TOURS

**CANADA &
ALASKA 2026**

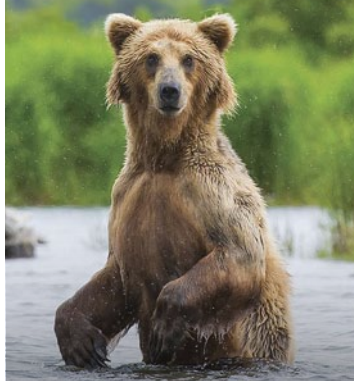
BOOK & WIN

Return Flights

3 nights Knight Inlet Lodge

2 nights Fairmont Vancouver

3 Nights at Fairmont
Empress Victoria



LEARN MORE >

Ritz rocks up to Fiji

THE Ritz-Carlton brand is set to debut in Fiji in 2030, following an agreement inked by Marriott International today to open a new luxury resort in Namuka Bay.

Located on a beachfront site an hour's drive from Nadi International Airport, the 249-key Ritz-Carlton Fiji, Namuka Bay property will feature 166 guest rooms and suites, as well as 83 villas with a private plunge pool and outdoor deck.

The resort will also offer seven culinary experiences, and a 480m² Presidential Villa with a 186m² private pool, large balcony, and yoga lounge.

"The timing couldn't be better, with our current resort portfolio in Fiji enjoying record-high occupancy levels," said Marriott Int'l AU, NZ & Pacific Director Development, Tristan Cooper.

SCENIC
LUXURY CRUISES & TOURS

**2026 Canada
Alaska & USA
BOOK & WIN**



LEARN MORE

No quick fix for Air NZ

ONGOING engine issues and a sluggish Kiwi economy have seen Air New Zealand's earnings slide to \$189 million for the 2025 financial year, a solid drop on the \$222 million recorded for the previous year (**TD** breaking news).

Net profit after tax also dwindled for the carrier, with the year seeing a \$20 million drop to \$126 million, while revenue held steady at \$6.75 billion.

While saluting the resilience of the carrier in the face of headwinds, outgoing CEO Greg Foran said its earnings before tax figure could have been much higher had Air New Zealand's fleet operated as intended.

Compensation paid to Air NZ by engine manufacturers during the period saw \$129 million added to the bottom line, however Foran said its earnings would have been as much as \$165 million higher if all its aircraft were able to fly.

"We acted early and decisively, securing additional engines and aircraft, and optimising our schedule to keep customers moving," Foran said.

"While this came at a significant cost, it was the right decision to deliver for our customers and maintain network stability.

"The airline continues to work closely with both Rolls-Royce and Pratt & Whitney on compensation arrangements, and to secure a more reliable picture of when engines will return to service."

While Air NZ said it is confident



of a medium-term recovery in 2026, the next 12 months will likely be "every bit as constrained as the last year".

"Unfortunately, there are no quick fixes, and navigating the next two years will require the same focus and discipline we've shown to date," Foran lamented.

Groundings related to engine availability constraints will continue to impact Air NZ into 2026, with the business stating that the worst of the fleet disruptions will be behind the carrier within the next year.

One of the bright spots for the carrier will be taking delivery of its first two new Boeing 787s fitted with GE-powered engines, described as a "major milestone" in its fleet renewal strategy.

"The aircraft, alongside an additional A321neo and ATR, will support increased capacity within New Zealand, in Australia, and to North America, particularly during the peak summer period.

Air NZ said providing a detailed earnings guidance is challenging, as discussions with engine suppliers around compensation are ongoing, but it expects the first half of the 2026 financial year to be similar or less than its H2 2025 result of \$34 million. **AB**

VIEW DEAL

PRICES FROM

\$12,409

PER PERSON TWIN SHARE LAND ONLY

"Surcharges may apply"

DURATION: 12 DAYS

BEST OF

Zimbabwe

itravel product chief

CHRISTINE McCullagh (pictured) has been appointed Product Manager at itravel.

McCullagh brings with her more than 30 years of travel industry experience across retail, wholesale, packaging, and operations, and most recently spent eight years working in the cruise sector.

"Her depth of knowledge, strong supplier relationships... make her a fantastic addition to the team," itravel said.



We still want Rex

RENAISSANCE Partners is stepping up efforts to acquire the embattled Rex business, this week approaching the Federal Govt directly to bypass a previously submitted bid that was dismissed by administrators EY.

The consortium's CEO Andrew Cochrane told local media in the ACT that Canberra and Darwin would become Rex's hub under its acquisition plan, which would also include continuing its current regional services.

Renaissance Partners said it would have the airline back to a full recovery by 2028, and protect over 1,000 jobs.

EY accelerates SYD

ETIHAD has moved forward planned aircraft changes on its Abu Dhabi-Sydney route, with the carrier's all-A350 services to now commence on 06 Dec instead of the previously stated date of 31 Jan 2026.

WE'RE HERE TO MAKE YOU LOOK LIKE THE EXPERT

Start Exploring

Rail, Hotels, Sightseeing, and More

For an **instant quote** call **1300 938 534** or visit **railbookers.com.au**

Escape the ordinary.

up to

\$2,200 AIR CREDIT

per couple on selected tours*

AATKings

Discover more

Te Puia, New Zealand

*T&C's apply

OPERATIONS AGENT

Exciting opportunity to join China Airlines Sydney team.

We are looking for passionate and proactive team members to support our Sydney operations.

Role description

(FULL-TIME | SYDNEY)

- Flight operations
- Ground handling support
- Baggage & cargo handling
- Airport operations coordination

Proficiency in English & Mandarin (listening, speaking, reading, writing)

Valid working rights in Australia

Strong communication skills and flexibility to work shifts as required by flight operations

Monthly salary, Probation period in accordance with regulations, with full company benefits

CHINA AIRLINES

The best carrier from Taiwan

Applications close: 05 Sep 2025

Email resume and cover letter to sydc@china-airlines.com



Enormous role for advisors

TRAVEL advisors have an “enormous” role to play in the growth of the cruise industry both globally and locally, CLIA President & CEO Budd Darr (pictured) has told *Travel Daily*.

Speaking on the sidelines of Cruise360 Australasia, Darr admitted that some consumers prefer to go directly to the source sometimes, but that there was still plenty of opportunity for advisors to reap rewards.

“There is an enormous role to play for travel advisors and I think that will continue for a very long time,” Darr said.

“It is a fine line that’s walked between the cruise lines satisfying the need of being accessible to the consumer that wants to come to them directly, but yet making sure that they treat the travel agents fairly in running their businesses so that they are incentivised to do their part, because it takes a bit of both to get the ships full and at the correct price point.”

When asked about the opportunity for travel advisors to grow their cruise sales, Darr pointed to the habit of customers returning to cruise.

“There is enough demand out there, and in Australia, you see, there is more demand than there is product - that is a good sign for everyone,” he said.

“You can make a very good living largely selling cruises to the right customers - when I talk to travel advisors with high volumes,



they have very high success rates with those that have been placed once or twice successfully - they keep wanting to come back and they give very broad mandates.”

Darr stressed that if an advisor took the time to be informed enough and prove themselves to the customer, they will develop a kind of trust that only comes from a face-to-face relationship, something he said was not possible when a consumer used an online platform to make a cruise booking. *DF*

Get up and Goldy

NEW campaign Get Up and Gold Coast launched yesterday to showcase the diversity of the holiday destination.

“If visitors haven’t been here for a while they’ll discover a city that’s all grown up,” said Experience Gold Coast CEO John Warn.

Last year, 13 million Aussies visited the Gold Coast.

A mystery holiday

HELLOWORLD Travel in Hervey Bay is offering agents a Mystery Tour departing on 01 Apr - and it is definitely not an April Fool’s joke, assured the business.

The initiative is a partnership between the agency, Trafalgar and Atkinsons Shuttles.

For a sneak peek into the mystery tour, agents can attend Helloworld Travel Hervey Bay’s showcase on 25 Sep, hosted alongside TTC with brands like Insight Vacations, and more.

To attend the event, click **HERE**.

To find out more about the mystery tour, contact Kat Chatfield at Helloworld Travel Hervey Bay 07 4128 1900 or kat.herveybay@helloworld.com.au.



Royal responds

ROYAL Caribbean has responded to the more than 200,000 locals in Mexico who have petitioned against the development of its private island Perfect Day.

“All current and future Royal Caribbean projects in Mexico and around the world comply with local regulations, meet the highest sustainability standards, and contribute significantly to the communities in which we operate,” the cruise line said.

Narita airport play

NARITA Beyond has launched a new website and dedicated airport booth at Narita International airport, showcasing the beauty of Tokyo.

The new online platform offers English-language information about the city, travel ideas and direct booking for local experiences, while the new booth located at Terminal One in arrivals shares travel inspiration and important tourist information.

WIN A GLOBUS TOUR TO MEMPHIS & NASHVILLE WITH RETURN FLIGHTS

**BOOK NOW
ROCK LATER**

10 SPOTS UP FOR GRABS!

*T&Cs APPLY

FIND OUT MORE

Memphis GLOBUS UNITED AIRLINES

CHINA AIRLINES
The best carrier from Taiwan

2025 EARLY BIRD Sale

Fly with China Airlines Enjoy Seamless Connections via Taipei and and Free Wi-Fi Onboard

Limited-Time Offer **BOOK NOW**

Book by 31 August 2025 Travel before June 2026

UP TO **15% OFF**

*Terms and Conditions Apply

Travel Daily

SHARPEN YOUR KNOWLEDGE ON TAIWAN & EVA AIR

Travel Daily Training Academy



Taiwan 30
THE ISLAND OF SOUL
EVA AIR 30

[Click here to discover](#)

Big winter trends

DEMAND for wellness experiences grew in Australia by more than a third (34%) over winter 2025, according to a new report from Big Red Group.

The research, which analysed booking data from nearly 200,000 experiences taken between 01 Jun and 10 Aug, also found that inbound tourism soared by 47% year-on-year, with theme parks, zoos, whale and dolphin watching among the most popular bookings during winter.

In fact, animal experiences were firmly on the hotlist, accounting for 12.4% of bookings for the three-month period.

Australia also enjoyed a strong snow season, with skiing and snow experiences more than doubling (up 110%) year-on-year.

Coral Kimberley '27

CORAL Expeditions has announced the release of its 2027 Kimberley season, which features 47 departures across its fleet of three expedition vessels, *Coral Discoverer*, *Coral Adventurer*, and *Coral Geographer*.

Running from Mar-Sep, the program includes the line's classic 10-night 'Kimberley Cruise' between Darwin and Broome, and a refreshed 'Coral Frontiers and Kimberley Icons' sailing, also 10 nights.

Additionally, Coral has partnered with Australian Geographic to offer a special nature-focused seven-night voyage over two departures.

Check out AKL's check-in

AUCKLAND Airport has offered a first look at its transformed departures hall - part of a wider upgrade of the Kiwi airport.

The departures hall will undergo its biggest transformation since the 1970s over the next four years, adopting a technology-led approach designed for the modern traveller.

New self-service kiosks and automated bag drops will replace around 60 traditional counters, and feature common-use flexibility, meaning they can be used by different airlines throughout the day.

The technology has already been rolled out in one check-in zone, replacing 30 desks with 36 kiosks and 22 bag drops.

Additionally, the footprint of the front face of the terminal will be expanded by 2,800m² to support improved traveller amenities, boost pedestrian flows, and form the connection with the domestic jet terminal currently under construction alongside.

Work on the pavilion begins later this year, with main construction on the terminal check-in areas starting early 2026.

During the phased construction, a temporary check-in pavilion will be built adjoining the Transport Hub to maintain capacity.

"This is a once-in-a-generation opportunity to completely reimagine the check-in experience and ensure New Zealand's gateway airport is fit for the future," stated Auckland



Airport Chief Executive Officer, Carrie Hurihanganui. JM

Delta says Hello

HELLOWORLD Travel has welcomed a new addition to its growing network of associate stores, with well-established Melbourne agency Delta Holidays signing on as a member.

Located in Montmorency, the family-owned business boasts a 30-year history, and is led by Eve Costopoulos and Dion Gerasimidis (**pictured**).

"Helloworld was our preferred choice because of its strong industry reputation, access to a wide range of trusted suppliers, and the comprehensive support it provides to agents," shared Gerasimidis, also highlighting the importance of strong support across key areas of his business.



Travel Daily
ON LOCATION

BRISBANE

Today's issue of *TD* is coming to you from **Brisbane**, where **Cruise Lines International Association's Cruise360** is taking place.

TODAY is the final day of the biggest-ever Cruise360 conference, which Cruise Lines International Association has stretched it two days.

Day two of the conference will focus heavily on river, with global leaders in the sector to take the stage, such as AmaWaterways' Kristin Karst and Tauck's David Clark.

Travel Daily's Editorial Director Damian Francis will also moderate a session today, exchanging with MSC Cruises Vice President International Sales Antonio Paradiso.

New life for Spirit?

LOW-COST US carrier Spirit Airlines is reportedly considering another restructure after emerging from bankruptcy in Mar (*TD* 15 Nov 2024).

According to the *Wall Street Journal*, the airline is weighing up its options with financial advisor PJT Partners and consulting firms FTI and Seabury Airline Group.

The update follows a recent attempt by Spirit to improve its liquidity, including restructuring its card-processing agreement.

Best-selling Tour Package

FOLLOW THE NORTHERN LIGHTS

HURTIGRUTEN
Live the legend of Norway

NORTHERN LIGHTS
PROMISE
MADE IN NORWAY

Chase the magical Northern Lights across Norway and Finland on our best-selling small-group escorted tour. Journey through snow-draped fjords, and enjoy bucket-list experiences like husky sledding, Santa Village, a Glass Igloo stay, scenic Flåm Railway and more!

\$500 OFF + \$500 PER PERSON ONBOARD CREDIT

LOW DEPOSIT OF \$250 pp*

17 DAYS FROM \$8,297 pp*

LIMITED SPOTS AVAILABLE. Don't miss out. Call our local Coastal Specialists on **1300 151 548** or visit hurtigruten.com/en-au/agents

T&Cs apply. Per person, twin share cabin. For bookings by 12 Sept, 2025. See website for full details.



APAC falls behind

BUSINESS events planners in the APAC region are falling behind when it comes to multilingual tech, according to a new report commissioned by Interprefy.

The research, which surveyed 600 decision-makers across Australia and other countries, found that one in seven do not use translation tools at major business events, including remote simultaneous interpretation (RSI), live text captions or translation services.

"Event attendees expect seamless, native-language access to content, discussions and decisions in every event format," said Interprefy CEO, Oddmund Braaten.

"As international event participation grows, APAC multilingual event organisers must close the gap or risk losing relevance and reach."

New venue is LIVE

SYDNEY'S Hills District is now home to a new large-scale events venue, Bella LIVE, operated by Memento Hospitality and housed at Bella Vista Hotel.

Featuring 1,029m² of warehouse-style space, the venue is ideal for live music events and business events, including presentations, gala dinners, and product launches.

Bella LIVE offers a stage, VIP booths, visual projections, a custom audio system, and more.

EVENTS HIGH ON NSW AGENDA

BUSINESS Events Sydney (BESydney) has welcomed the NSW Government's new Visitor Economy Strategy 2035, launched yesterday (**TD** 27 Aug), which it said highlights the pivotal role of the sector.

'Drive Growth Through Events' is one of the five key pillars set out in the roadmap, with a refresh of the state's business event strategy on the agenda.

In partnership with BESydney, the NSW Government will work to ensure that key sectors are identified and prioritised.

The strategy also seeks to promote a focus on Western Sydney, including zeroing in on opportunities for existing and new infrastructure in the region, as well as other key locations outside of Sydney, such as Newcastle and Wollongong.

"This strategy will help BESydney to unlock new potential



across the city, particularly with the opening of the Western Sydney International Airport next year," said BESydney Chair, Professor Mary O'Kane.

BESydney has already secured 66 events coming into Sydney this year, bringing in 46,000 delegates staying 174,000 delegate days and generating an estimated \$213 million in direct expenditure

to the NSW economy, the organisation's CEO Amanda Lampe pointed out.

"As the state's expert advisor on strategic business event acquisition, we look forward to working closely with the Government, Destination NSW and the local business events ecosystem to achieve these ambitious goals," Lampe said. *JM*

Mount French Lodge caters to events

MOUNT French Lodge in Queensland's Scenic Rim has introduced a new corporate retreats and incentive program.

The 100-acre property offers exclusive-use accommodation for up to 16 guests across eight apartments, as well as a space for strategy sessions, plus a pool, outdoor pavilion and multiple breakout areas.

The property's managers work closely with event organisers to shape a personalised itinerary,



with a range of experiences available - from in-house yoga sessions to wine tastings.

Rates start at \$1,200 per night per apartment with a full gourmet breakfast, drinks and grazing platter, two-course dinner and all beverages.

Sofitel appoints

SOFITEL Sydney Darling Harbour has announced the appointment of Courtney Lavender as its new Director of Conference & Events.

Lavender brings nearly a decade of experience delivering world-class events across the Accor network.

She was most recently Precinct Associate Director of Sales at Sydney Olympic Park, leading the hotel's activations around key domestic events.

TAKE A LOOK AT

OCEANIA
CRUISES®

YOUR WORLD. YOUR WAY.®

HOME

HOME AGENT
VIRTUAL
EXPERIENCE



**CLICK TO VIEW
THEIR BOOTH**

APPOINTMENTS

Send your new appointments to:
appointments@traveldaily.com.au

Hotel marketing guru **Stephen Howard** has relocated to Alula in Saudi Arabia to take on his new role as Head of Tourism PR and Communications for **The Royal Commission of Alula**. In his new role, Howard will work across emerging avenues in Saudi tourism and culture including art, wildlife, natural heritage and astrotourism.

APT Travel Group has welcomed **Helen Clark** as its new Head of Sales Operations, based at its Melbourne headquarters. Clark has many years of experience in travel and tourism and moves across from Helloworld, where she spent the past two years as a Senior Trainer.

Acclaimed multi-sensory event **Vivid Sydney** will now be led and overseen by **Brett Sheehy**, who has been named Festival Director by **Destination NSW**. Sheehy brings more than two decades of experience managing major leading arts organisations, each of which have seen transformative growth, global recognition and lasting legacies formed. Separately, the marketing body has also appointed **Stephen Mahoney** as its new Acting General Manager.

Tourism and aviation leader **Jacqui Walshe** has been reappointed to the **Tourism New Zealand** board for a second term and will continue to drive inbound growth for her home nation.

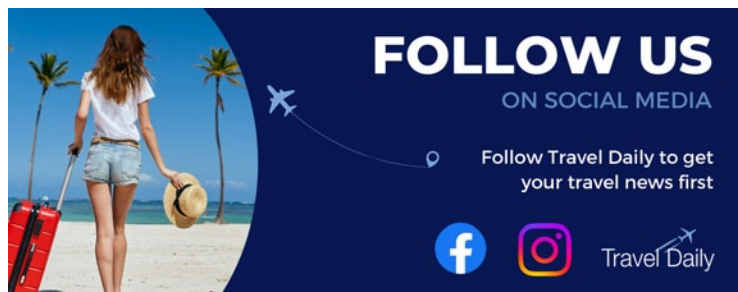
Marketing and communications professional **Cindy Gilbert** has joined the **Hong Kong Tourism Board** as its new Senior Manager, Marketing & Public Relations for Australia, New Zealand, and the South Pacific. Bringing many years in tourism to her new role, Gilbert will develop consumer marketing campaigns to promote the Asian destination.

Marriott International has made two key General Manager postings at two of its Melbourne hotels. The change has seen **Steve Molnar** named Multi-Property General Manager at Melbourne Marriott Hotel Docklands and AC Hotel Melbourne Southbank. Elsewhere, **Jai Leighton** will take on the reins at Le Meridien Melbourne as its General Manager. Both senior leaders bring extensive hotel experience to their new roles.

After 10 years leading research and statistics for **Samoa Tourism Authority**, the organisation has promoted **Niumata Kitona Pogi** to the role of Chief Executive Officer for the next three years. Pogi has served in the role previously in an acting capacity.

Having served on the **Wellington Airport Board** for the past six years, **Wayne Eagleson** will expand his remit to become a Director of the airport's parent company, Infratil, replacing the outgoing Phil Walker.

Appointed to lead the cliffside resort in a new direction, **LXR Hotels and Resorts** has welcomed **Nicolas Kassab** as the new General Manager at Umana Bali. Kassab will lead day-to-day operations and overall guest experience and moves across from The Ritz-Carlton Suzhou.



FOLLOW US
ON SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow Travel Daily to get
your travel news first



Travel Daily

Bailing on travel online

THE real reasons why consumers abandon their cart while booking travel online have been revealed in a new report from ABTasty focusing on consumer online shopping trends.

While the main reason consumers failed to purchase was because they were not ready to buy (41%), further insights showed that brands could beef up their conversion rates by adjusting their checkout process.

According to the report, people left websites because of too many checkout steps (30%), no guest checkout option (22%) and not being offered the right payment method (33%).

Meanwhile, the report also listed some of the most important aspects of the online experience for consumers: high quality reviews, cancellation policy, good customer service, relevant recommendations and brand name.

"Leverage A/B testing to determine the ideal placement of customer reviews on a product detail page, or to learn where in the journey recommendations can make the biggest impact," suggested the report authors.

Survey respondents also shared what factors would make their online travel booking experience more personal.

The most popular answer was a brand knowing their preferences, such as room type, seat and booking, which was followed by product suggestions, availability notifications and knowing their loyalty status.

"By leveraging first-party data, offering real-time recommendations, and adjusting



strategies based on regional preferences, brands can create a seamless and engaging booking experience that keeps travellers coming back," said the authors.

In fact, 57% of people said that it was extra helpful when online booking if companies knew who they were and their history, such as past purchases, support calls and buying patterns.

Sixty-five percent of generation Z embrace data-driven personalisation during their purchase journey, followed by millennials at 60%, although less than half of baby boomers (45%) were interested in it.

"Use personalisation to simplify the booking process and highlight its benefits, such as faster checkouts or tailored recommendations," advised the authors. *JHM*

VistaJet flies Saudi

MALTA-BASED airline VistaJet has become the first foreign carrier to offer domestic flights within Saudi Arabia, as the country's aviation industry undergoes a major transformation in line with its Vision 2030 initiative.

VistaJet, which has a fleet of 18 aircraft, joins the Saudi Arabian aviation sector at a pivotal time, as it rapidly expands connections.



20 Day Inspiring Spain, Morocco & Portugal

TRAVERSE the Strait of Gibraltar as you venture between two continents with Inspiring Vacations '20-day Inspiring Spain, Morocco and Portugal' tour. Your clients will rock the casbah as they're immersed in diverse European and African cultures and history.

Sample the fresh oranges of Seville. Savour tapas in Madrid. Explore the medina in Fes. Soak up the sun in Lisbon.

Starting in the vibrant city of Barcelona, this tour calls at Madrid, Granada, Casablanca, Marrakech, Seville, Lisbon, and more.

Carefully selected four- and five-star accommodation, daily breakfast, and guided sightseeing throughout ensure a trip to remember.

With all transport, accommodation, and experiences organised, this trip allows your clients to soak up the sights of two continents in comfort.

Explore Europe with Australia's leading tour operator, Inspiring Vacations.

'20-day Inspiring Spain, Portugal & Morocco', from \$8,995 per person.

Inclusions:

- Flights
- 17 nights in four and five-star hotels
- Fully escorted English-speaking guides in all three countries
- Activities indicated in the itinerary (including entry fees)
- Return ferry crossing between Europe and Africa
- Breakfast daily, two dinners

View the full range of tours [here](#).

2027 DATES AVAILABLE

Considering Spain, Portugal and Morocco? Inspiring Vacations offers a wide range of tours to the region, lasting from nine to 27 days. Whether your client is planning a European summer or wants to add a shorter tour onto their existing plans, there's an option to suit everyone.

Also available:

- 9 Day Southern Spain Premium Small Group Tour - from \$4,745pp (land only)
- 27 Day Ultimate Spain, Portugal & Morocco Premium Small Group Tour - from \$9,745pp (land only)